

Amendments to the Specification

Applicant's attorney recently spoke with the Examiner and got permission to delay corrections to the original specification she requested, and any other corrections which may be deemed desirable or necessary until one or more of the new claims 21-36 are allowed.

Among the specification changes desired is a change in the title to: "A LOW COST LITHO PRINTING PRESS, PRINTING PLATE, AND METHOD FOR PRINTING PASTE-TYPE OIL-BASED LITHO INK WHICH ELIMINATE THE DAMPENER AND DAMPENING SOLUTION THEREFROM" from the original title: "A LOW COST PRINTING PRESS METHOD AND APPARATUS WITH A PRINTING PLATE WHICH ELIMINATES FOUNTAIN SOLUTION THEREFROM." This change, along with other specification changes, is needed to be consistent with the wording of new claims 21-36, and the amended Abstract of the Invention. No new matter is involved.

Concerning the title change, the words "DAMPENING SOLUTION" in the title is a more precise equivalent of the words "FOUNTAIN SOLUTION" in the original title, and in the last two paragraphs of page 4 of the specification.

The Examiner's attention is also called to line one of paragraph four or page 4 of the original specification where it is stated: "How is the paste-type litho ink kept off the voids...?" New claims 21 and 24 describe a "paste-type, oil-based litho ink." It is well known in the graphic arts that "paste-type" and "oil-based" are synonymous. (Note: underlining is added for emphasis.)

With these clarifications, the Examiner's allowance of new claims 21-36 is respectfully requested.